

## SPAULDING BRINGS INJUNCTION SUIT

North Side Property Owner Seeks to Prevent the Erection of Proposed School Building.

Suit to enjoin the erection of the high school buildings on Van Buren street at Sixth street, has been begun in the district court by E. A. Spaulding, who is the owner of some property north of the site of the proposed buildings. The board of education of the Phoenix high school, the Union high school district, and Olsen and Craft, the contractors, are made defendants. Kibbey and Bennett are the attorneys.

The point of which Mr. Spaulding particularly complains is the proposed closing of Sixth street. It will be recalled that an agreement has been entered into between the board of education and the city of Phoenix by which this street between Polk and Van Buren is to be used for school purposes. In return the board will dedicate two 30 foot curved streets, passing one on each side of the main school building. The plaintiff claims the closing of Sixth street will do his property irreparable damage.

It will be recalled that at a mass meeting of the electors of the school district held several weeks ago, a vote was taken to determine whether this plan should be followed. At that time everybody at the meeting voted for the plan with the exception of two men. One of these was Mr. Spaulding, and at that time he threatened to bring an injunction proceeding to prevent the erection of the buildings.

Judge Kent will be home in a few days and it is presumed no action will be taken with reference to the suit until his arrival. It is likely because of the importance of the matter, that there will be a determination of the suit at the earliest possible date.

The following is the record of realty transfers in the office of the county recorder yesterday, as reported by the Arizona Abstract & Title Co., 134 West Washington street.

Nelson A. Penneyer and Wife to Beulah Frary, deed to lot 39, block "D" University addition.

John S. Bruhlman and wife to Martin Gold, deed to lots 3 and 5, block 3, Phoenix.

David H. Schultz to Margaret Schultz, deed to lots 4 and 5 and east half of lots 3 and 6, block 3, Dennis addition, and 5 and 6, Van Buren place.

James Muller, Jr., et al. to L. B. Johnson and M. P. Holladay, deed to 22x165 feet, southeast corner lot 1, block 12, Mesa City.

## AMUSEMENTS

### THE COLISEUM.

An entire shift of vaudeville specialties with new songs and dances, enlivened the program at the Coliseum last evening. The Nelsons, Chaire Collins and the Brown Kids improved upon the first part of the week's program and the picture intermissions were a material addition to a good show. The picture feature will be entirely new this evening and some special musical selections will be rendered by the orchestra. On Monday evening the orchestra will render by special request special selections and the soloist will feature the musical program.

Tuesday evening will usher in an entire change of vaudeville with two of the best attractions billed this season.

### ON A CERTAIN DAY.

I saw the reckless brambles, dotted with blossoms,  
Running at random through the daisied field,  
Lost in a wild grove, on the shore of the Sound,  
Beneath a jungle growth. Great bumblebees,  
Cloved in a thousand honeys of the wood,  
Droned through the air, under the cavernous coolness  
Of old trees now appeared. Dripping wet  
The ears dipped in the mirroring, moving waters,  
Which flooded up the sand, and sank from sight  
With a soft, slushy sound, while fanning faintly  
The wind caught up the eager smell of succulent, juicy sea-weed that is washed  
Into the stagnant shallows.

Nature is like a ring without a stone  
If there is nothing human in it; beauty  
Kissing some vacant stretch, kisses in vain,  
If there is not a thought. And what more perfect  
Than lovers resting on the weathered earlocks?

Holding converse with a fair woman there  
Was beauty set in beauty. Perfect nature,  
Full of the coming summer, was less fair  
Than her last, finest produce. As the woman  
Sang out a boat-song to the sky,  
Singers of nature lost their forest charm.

No bird ever sang as human being do.  
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### SHE SANG "SHOO FLY" FOR NAPOLEON.

In Harper's Mme. de Hegermann-Lindencrone tells of a second visit to the court of Napoleon III. Her account of singing for the Emperor is particularly amusing.

"There was some dancing for an hour, when one of the chamberlains came up and said to me that the Emperor would be pleased if I would sing some of my American songs. I was delighted, and went directly into the Salle de Musique, and when the others had come in I sat down at the piano and accompanied myself in the few negro songs I knew, such as 'Swanee River,' 'Shoo Fly' and 'Good-by, Johnny.' Come Back Soon to Your Own Chick-a-Biddy." Then I sang a song of Prince Mettrich's called 'Bon Soir, Marguerite,' which he accompanied. I finished, of course, with 'Bevare!'

"The emperor came up to me and asked, 'What does chick-a-biddy mean?'"

"I answered: 'Come back soon to your own chick-a-biddy' means 'Reviens bientôt à ta chérie,' which apparently satisfied him."

"Their majesties thanked me with effusion and were very gracious. The emperor himself brought a cup of tea to me, which is very unusual for him to do, and, I fancy, a great compliment, saying:

"This is for my chick-a-biddy."  
"Their majesties bowed in leaving the room, every one made a deep reverence and we departed to our apartments."

How little Napoleon really understood some of the songs is indicated by the fact that on the following evening he asked the fair singer to repeat the "song of the shoe."

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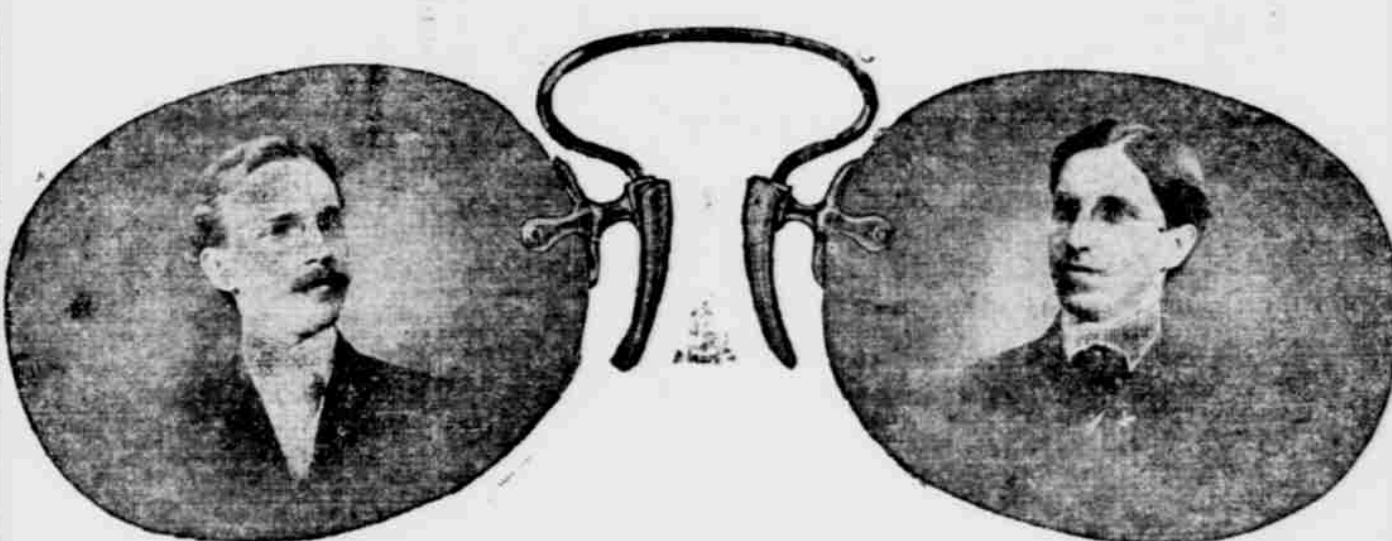
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A slave, I am, a willing slave,  
My bondage ne'er shall cease;  
The tyrant's will I freely do,  
And I should scorn release.

Yet day by day more galling grows  
The yoke to which I yield;  
New wounds are added tho' not one  
Of all the old is healed.

The captive's self of bygone time,  
Revised his captor's name;  
His bosom ever wildly throbb'd  
With sorrow, rage or shame,

But fondly would I kiss the hand  
Whose beck I must obey;  
And but to win one grateful word  
To toll the lifelong day.

It is the silken bonds of love  
That hold me thus in thrall;  
My tyrant has no heart, I ween—  
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